



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: FIRE-RETARDANT ANTISTATIC VINYL CHLORIDE RESIN MOLDINGS

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action of August 17, 2005, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages in addition to the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on July 25, 2005.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1, 2, 19-21, 23 and 24 are all the claims pending in the application.

The Advisory Action, at pages 2 to 3, states that paragraph [0045] in JP '945 does not discuss degrees of chlorination. There is certainly no explicit description, but applicants consider that the description "further improving a chemical resistance and an erosion resistance" is understood to indicate that this surface layer resin has a degree of chlorination of 50 to 58%.